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TRANSIENT VENDOR STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES

Define for the purposes a transient vendor is any person who opens a temporary place of business for the sale of goods; or who, on the streets or while traveling about the township, sells or offers for sale goods; solicits orders for future delivery of goods; or attempts to arrange an appointment for a future estimate or sales call. "Goods" means goods, wares, services, merchandise, periodicals, and other articles or publications.

Transient vendor does not include any person who represents any entity exempted from taxation under Ohio Revised Code 5709.04, provided the entity exempted from taxation under ORC 5709.04 notifies the Township in a manner required herein its representatives are present in the Township for the purpose of selling or offering for sale goods; soliciting orders for future delivery of goods; or attempting to arrange an appointment for a future payment, estimate, or sales call, and does not include a person licensed under Chapter 4707 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Transient Vendor Solicitation and Registration procedures, application forms, and standards to remain in good standing, consistent with the following conditions:

- A. Applicants for Transient Vendor Solicitation permits must register with Goshen Township at 6757 Goshen Road, Goshen, Ohio 45122. Prior to solicitation, transient vendors shall provide the information required thereon; a copy of the company's valid current vendor's license issued by Clermont County or by Ohio Department of Taxation, Health Department license where applicable, photo identifications of all soliciting persons, and the three (3) day cancellation form.
- B. The Township has established a registration fee of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.00), and this registration shall be valid for a period of ninety (90) days after the date of registration.
- C. No person, firm, or corporation shall conduct public solicitation in Goshen Township, Clermont County, Ohio, wherein the person conducting the solicitation does so in a manner whereby their conduct is contrary to the public interest. No solicitation tactics shall be employed which are coercive, abusive, or misleading. No efforts may be made by any person, firm, or corporation to defraud any individual through the solicitation process. Transient vendors shall comply with all applicable Federal and State Laws governing the conduct of their business, including the three (3) day cancellation

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provision, and the collection and payment of all applicable sales taxes, and upon making application, shall provide evidence of the same.

- D. Door-to-door solicitation and solicitation from motor vehicles shall only be permitted between 9:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
- E. Each transient vendor shall always carry on his/her person their solicitation permit while engaging in temporary or transient business, or while travelling about the Township for the purpose of selling or soliciting orders.
- F. Solicitation shall not occur on any residence or business where a no solicitation sign, decal, or other lawful display is exhibited.
- G. Roadside solicitors shall not solicit on public property, on the street, at road intersections, or in the public right-of-way. Roadside solicitors shall provide written permission from the property owner of the location where they intend to do business at the time of application for registration and shall comply with all state law and local zoning codes or resolutions concerning advertisements and signage.
- H. Established pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 505.99, a transient vendor found in violation of this Resolution is guilty of a minor misdemeanor.
- I. If any transient vendor or representative of a transient vendor is found in violation of this Resolution or any section, procedure, or standard of this Resolution, the transient vendor solicitation permit may be revoked. Permit revocation may include not only the offending person but may include all persons soliciting for the same business or vendor.

The registration requirements Do Not Apply To:

- A. Person invited by the owner or tenant to visit the owner's or tenant's premises
- B. Goshen Township official sponsored events;
- C. Sales in connection with school related fundraising programs authorized by the Board of Education of the school or district involved;
- D. Community athletic or Township civic organizations;
- E. Persons who are providing information, literature, or other communication regarding political issues, political candidates, or any religious institution or religion.